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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CG Docket No. 03-123; DA 13-275]

Pleading Cycle Established for Comment on Applications for State Certification for the Provision of Telecommunications Relay Service

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In this document, the Commission seeks public comment on state applications for renewal of the certification of their state TRS programs pursuant to Title IV of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

DATES: Comments are due on or before March 15, 2013, and reply comments are on or before March 29, 2013.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by CG Docket No. 03-123 and the relevant state identification number of the state application that is being comment upon, by any of the following methods: Electronic Filers: Comments may be filed electronically using the Internet by accessing the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS), through the Commission's website <http://apps.fcc.gov/ecfs/> or by filing paper copies. Filers should follow the instructions provided on the website for submitting comments. In completing the transmittal screen, filers should include their full name, U.S. Postal service mailing address, and the applicable docket number.

- Paper filers: Parties who choose to file by paper must file an original and one copy of each filing. Filings can be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail (although the Commission continues to experience delays in receiving U.S. Postal Service mail). All filings must be addressed to the Commission's Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission.
- All hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission's Secretary must be delivered to FCC Headquarters at 445 12th St., SW., Room TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554.

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- Commercial Mail sent by overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, MD 20743.
- U.S. Postal Service first-class, Express, and Priority mail should be addressed to 445 12th St., SW., Washington, DC 20554.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dana Wilson, Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau, Disability Rights Office, at (202) 418-2247, or e-mail Dana.Wilson@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of the Commission's document DA 13-275. Pursuant to 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.419, interested parties may file comments and reply comments on or before the dates indicated in the Dates section. The full text of document DA 13-275, copies of applications for certification, and subsequently filed documents in this matter are available for public inspection and copying during regular business hours at the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th St., SW., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC 20554. Document DA 13-275 also is available on the Commission's website at: <http://transition.fcc.gov/cgb/dro/trs.html>. Document DA 13-275, copies of applications for certification, and subsequently filed documents in this matter may also be found by searching ECFS at <http://apps.fcc.gov/ecfs/>. When searching for the state application in ECFS, please enter docket number 03-123 in the proceeding number fill-in block, and the state identification number, (e.g., TRS-46-12) assigned for that specific state application in the bureau identification number fill-in block. They may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor at Portals II, 445 12th St., SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554; the contractor's website, [http:// www.bcpweb.com](http://www.bcpweb.com); or by calling (800) 378-3160.

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SYNOPSIS:

Notice is hereby given that the states listed below have applied to the Commission for renewal of the certification of their state telecommunications relay service (TRS) programs pursuant to Title IV of the ADA, 47 U.S.C. 225, and the Commission's rules, 47 CFR 64.601-605. Current state certifications expire July 25, 2013. A state's applications for certification, covering the five year period from July 26, 2013 to July 25, 2018, must demonstrate that the state TRS program complies with section 225 and the Commission's rules governing the provision of TRS. This notice seeks public comment on the following state applications for certification:

File No: TRS-46-12

Alabama Public Service Commission

State of Alabama

File No: TRS-47-12

Arkansas Deaf and Hearing Impaired

State of Arkansas

File No: TRS-02-12

Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

State of Arizona

File No: TRS-32-12

California Public Utilities Commission

State of California

File No: TRS-23-12

Colorado Public Utilities Commission

State of Colorado

File No: TRS-48-12

Connecticut Department of Public Utility

State of Connecticut

File No: TRS-35-12

Delaware Public Service Commission

State of Delaware

File No: TRS-49-12

Public Service Commission

District of Columbia

File No: TRS-50-12

Florida Public Service Commission

State of Florida

File No: TRS-51-12

Georgia Public Service Commission

State of Georgia

File No: TRS-22-12

Hawaii Public Utilities Commission

State of Hawaii

File No: TRS-10-12

Illinois Commerce Commission

State of Illinois

File No: TRS-03-12

Iowa Utilities Board

State of Iowa

File No: TRS-52-12

Kentucky Public Service Commission

Commonwealth of Kentucky

File No: TRS-53-12

Maine Public Utilities Commission

State of Maine

File No: TRS-34-12

Department of Telecommunications and Energy

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

File No: TRS-39-12

Minnesota Department of Commerce

State of Minnesota

File No: TRS-43-12

Idaho Public Service Commission

State of Idaho

File No: TRS-08-12

Indiana Telephone Relay Access Corporation

State of Indiana

File No: TRS-07-12

Kansas Relay Services, Inc.

State of Kansas

File No: TRS-13-12

Louisiana Relay Administration Board

State of Louisiana

File No: TRS-33-12

Telecommunications Access of Maryland

State of Maryland

File No: TRS-54-12

Michigan Public Service Commission

State of Michigan

File No: TRS-55-12

Mississippi Public Service Commission

State of Mississippi

File No: TRS-15-12

Missouri Public Service Commission

State of Missouri

File No: TRS-40-12

Nebraska Public Service Commission

State of Nebraska

File No: TRS-42-12

New Hampshire Public Service Commission

State of New Hampshire

File No: TRS-14-12

Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

State of New Mexico

File No: TRS-30-12

Department of Health and Human Service

State of North Carolina

File No: TRS-37-12

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

State of Ohio

File No: TRS-36-12

Oregon Public Utilities Commission

State of Oregon

File No: TRS-56-12

Telecommunications Access Program

State of Montana

File No: TRS-25-12

Relay Nevada

State of Nevada

File No: TRS-45-12

New Jersey Board of Utilities

State of New Jersey

File No: TRS-16-12

New York State Department of Public Service

State of New York

File No: TRS-12-12

Information Technology Department

State of North Dakota

File No: TRS-57-12

Oklahoma Telephone Association

State of Oklahoma

File No: TRS-58-12

Pennsylvania Bureau of Consumer Services

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

File No: TRS-28-12

Telecommunications Regulatory Board

Puerto Rico

File No: TRS-62-12

Micronesian Telecommunications Corporation

Saipan

File No: TRS-60-12

Department of Human Services

State of South Dakota

File No: TRS-17-12

Texas Public Utility Commission

State of Texas

File No: TRS-44-12

Vermont Department of Public Service

State of Vermont

File No: TRS-27-12

Office of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

State of Washington

File No: TRS-59-12

Division of Public Utilities and Carriers

State of Rhode Island

File No: TRS-11-12

South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff

State of South Carolina

File No: TRS-20-12

Tennessee Regulatory Authority

State of Tennessee

File No: TRS-09-12

Public Service Commission

State of Utah

File No: TRS-04-12

Department for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Commonwealth of Virginia

File No: TRS-01-12

Wisconsin Department of Administration

State of Wisconsin

File No: TRS-18-12

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

State of Wyoming

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